

Amendments to the Specification

After the title and before the "Background of the Invention," please add the following paragraph:

This is a Continuation of Application No. 10/186,427 filed July 2, 2002, which in turn claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 of Japanese Patent Application No. 20001-203807 filed July 4, 2001 and Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-152294 filed May 27, 2002. The entire disclosure of the prior application, together with the foreign priority applications, is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

Please replace paragraph [0098] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0098] Figs. 3(a) through ~~3(d)~~ 3(c) are perspective views illustrating one example of a print head (liquid-drop material discharge mechanism) for use in an apparatus of the present invention for manufacturing the color filter;